

Arizona Game and Fish Department

2010 Spring Turkey, Javelina, Buffalo and Bear Hunt Draw Information



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Use this booklet to apply for Arizona's 2010 Spring Turkey, Javelina, Buffalo and Bear hunt drawing.

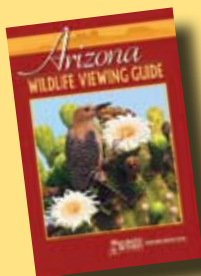
Hunt permit application deadline is Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2009 at 7 p.m. (MST).

The online application service is not available. Only use paper applications. Hunt permit applications can be submitted by mail or at any Department office.

The 2009-10 Arizona Hunting and Trapping Regulations (official rules) can be found at www.azgfd.gov or at any Department office or license dealer.

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If you require this document in an alternative format, please contact the AZGFD Director's Office as listed above or by calling TTY at 1 (800) 367-8939.

Important Information for 2010

This list is for informational purposes only and lists the major changes that have occurred since publication of the last hunt draw booklet. Individuals should thoroughly read and understand the appropriate regulations prior to making application or going afield. The 2009-10 Arizona Hunting and Trapping Regulations can be found at www.azgfd.gov, or at any Department office or license dealer.

New Mailing Address Please be aware that the Department has changed its mailing address for hunt draw applications. **The new address is: Arizona Game and Fish Department, P.O. Box 74020, Phoenix AZ, 85087-1052.** Old envelopes (with the red stripe) will not be forwarded to the new address for this draw. Please be sure to use the new **green-striped envelopes** with the updated address.

Hunter Questionnaire Has a New Look The Arizona Hunter Questionnaire will have a new look this fall. In addition, you will have the opportunity to respond online or as always, by mail. The questionnaires help biologists make sound decisions regarding hunting in Arizona. Your response is key. Please return your Hunter Questionnaire.

Legalities of Picking Up Wildlife Parts Contact the Arizona Game and Fish Department prior to picking up wildlife parts found afield (other than shed antlers). Arizona law requires evidence of legality when possessing or transporting wildlife carcasses or their parts.

Apprentice License Resident licensed hunters are able to obtain a free Apprentice Hunting License, valid for two days, for use when mentoring a new hunter. This affords new hunters the opportunity to "try before you buy," under the supervision of a licensed hunter. The license is not valid for big game. For more information, see page 2 or visit www.azgfd.gov.

PDF Draw Application Form A new feature has been added to the downloadable paper hunt permit-tag application form found on the Department's Web site (www.azgfd.gov/draw). The Adobe Reader PDF form will now allow you to fill out the application form on your computer using your keyboard. Once the form has been filled out, it must be printed, signed and submitted with payment by mail or delivery to any Department office. The form can also be printed from your computer and then filled out using an ink pen. Remember, the online draw application process has been indefinitely suspended and is not available to apply for the draw. The use of paper applications is the only method available to enter the draw.

Juniors-Only Hunts Discounted youth hunt permit-tag fees apply only to "Juniors-Only" Hunts. If you are applying for any general hunts, the higher of the hunt permit-tag fees must be submitted.

2010 Licenses Remember you must purchase 2010 licenses to enter in the spring draw. Licenses available through the draw include General Hunting, Adult Combination Hunting and Fishing, and Youth Combination Hunting and Fishing. License information can be found on page 4.

On the cover: Left, Hunter Fornara and her dad, Gino, in Unit 8 with her first turkey. Right, Jessica Maloney and Kyle Thorn in Unit 20C with a javelina. This was Jessica's first-ever hunt.

License Information

Who Can Go?

Everyone needs a license to hunt wildlife in Arizona. You need in your possession a valid hunt or combination hunt and fish license, plus any required hunt permit-tags, nonpermit-tags, or stamps. Neither a Class H Three-Day Non-resident Hunting License nor an Apprentice Hunting License is valid for big game.

YOUNG HUNTERS – Anyone 14 years of age or older needs a license to hunt wildlife in Arizona. You need in your possession a valid hunt or combination hunt and fish license, plus any required hunt permit-tags, nonpermit-tags or stamps.

A person under 14 may hunt wildlife other than big game without a license only when accompanied by a properly licensed person 18 years or older. No more than two unlicensed children may accompany any license holder.

No one under the age of 14 may take big game without having completed a Hunter Education Course. No one under age 10 may hunt big game in Arizona. To hunt big game, anyone 10 to 13 years of age must have in their possession a valid hunt or combination hunt and fish license, a valid Hunter Education Course completion card, plus any required permit-tags, nonpermit-tags and stamps, or an Apprentice License.

Where to Buy Licenses

Arizona hunting licenses can be obtained from license dealers throughout the state or from any Arizona Game and Fish Department office (see locations on page 1 of this booklet).

A list of license dealers can be found at www.azgfd.gov by selecting the license box on the home page.

If you are applying for a big game draw or bonus points, you may purchase your general hunt or combination hunt and fish license while you are entering your application for the draw. The license will not be issued and mailed until refunds and hunt permit-tags are mailed per the schedule on page 10. If you wish to use your license before the draw is complete, you must pre-purchase a license before applying. Although they are valid for a big game drawing application, Family Licenses, Super Conserva-

tion Licenses, and Child General Hunting and Combination Licenses **may not be obtained through the draw**; these licenses must be purchased at Department offices.

Lifetime License Holders

If a lifetime license holder changes residency status from Arizona, the licensee must then purchase non-resident stamps, tags, and permits. A non-resident tag or stamp can accompany your lifetime resident license. If you are a lifetime license holder who has moved out of state, the 10 percent non-resident cap does not apply to you. The lifetime license will remain legal for the taking of all wildlife as permitted by law. Residency may be re-established after moving back to Arizona and meeting the required time period as defined below.

Residency Requirements

A resident is a person who has been a bona fide resident of the state of Arizona for six months immediately preceding the date of application for a license or a tag, or a member of the armed forces who has been stationed in Arizona for a period of 30 days immediately preceding the date of application for a license or a tag.

Arizona residents may purchase a resident license. All other individuals must purchase a non-resident license.

Three-Day Non-Resident License

A Class H, Three-Day Non-resident license, valid for the taking of small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans is available at all license dealers. This license is not valid for hunting big game nor is it valid when applying for big game hunts through the draw process.

Apprentice License

Resident licensed hunters are able to obtain a free Apprentice Hunting License valid for two days for use when mentoring a new hunter. This affords new hunters the opportunity to “try before you buy,” under the supervision of a licensed hunter.

An apprentice hunting license is valid for two

days when the apprentice is accompanied in the field by a mentor. An apprentice hunting license is valid for the taking of small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds and upland game birds. Any required stamps must be purchased in addition to obtaining an Apprentice License. An apprentice may be a resident or nonresident and may only be licensed pursuant to this paragraph once per calendar year. A mentor must be a bona fide resident of this state who is at least 18 years of age and must possess a class F, G, J, K, M or N license or a complimentary or lifetime license. A mentor may apply for no more than two apprentice hunting licenses per calendar year. When applying for an apprentice license, the mentor must name the person he or she will be taking afield. Consult A.R.S. 17-333 for more information.

Lost License or Tag Replacement

Lost licenses, hunt permit-tags and nonpermit-tags may be replaced for a \$4 fee at any Arizona Game and Fish Department license dealer. Consult R12-4-103 Duplicate Tags and Licenses for additional information. Stamps cannot be replaced, they must be repurchased.

Physically Challenged Hunters

Those hunters who are physically challenged may qualify for a Challenged Hunter Access/Mobility Permit (CHAMP). Consult R12-4-217 for a description of this permit. Contact any Arizona Game and Fish Department office for additional information and application.

Non-US Citizens Wanting to Hunt in Arizona

Pursuant to new regulations by the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF), non-immigrant aliens who want to temporarily import firearms and/or ammunition into the United States for the allowable purpose of taking wildlife will need an ATF import permit and valid hunting license in possession at the time of entry/import into the United States. For further information or to make application for the import permit, contact ATF's Firearms and Explosives Import Branch at (304) 616-4550, or download an application from the ATF Web site at www.atf.treas.gov.

License Information

Tag Transfers

Under Arizona Revised Statutes and Arizona Game and Fish Commission Rules there are ways people can transfer big game tags to children.

A parent, grandparent or legal guardian holding a big game tag may allow the use of that tag by their minor child or minor grandchild pursuant to the following requirements:

- The minor child is 10 to 17 years old on the date of transfer;
- The minor child has a valid hunting or combination license on the date of transfer;
- A minor child less than 14 years old has satisfactorily completed a Department-approved hunter education course by the beginning date of the hunt;
- The parent or guardian must accompany the child in the field or, if a grandparent allows a minor grandchild to use the grandparent's permit or tag, the grandparent, parent or the child's guardian must accompany the child in the field. In either case, the adult must be within 50 yards of the child when the animal is taken.

Once a tag is transferred at a Department office, the original permittee may no longer use it.

A person may also transfer his or her game tag for use by a child with a life threatening medical condition. Consult A.R.S. 17-332 for more information, or visit www.azgfd.gov.

Should you be unable to use your big game permit, the Department is unable to reimburse you for your fees or reinstate your bonus points. However, you may donate your tag to a nonprofit organization that provides hunting opportunities to children with life-threatening medical conditions. You may contact the following organizations to arrange for a donation.

- Hunt of a Lifetime at www.hoalarizona.org.
- Catch-A-Dream at <http://catchadream.org>.
- United Special Sportsmen Alliance at www.childswish.com.
- Outdoor Experience 4 All at www.outdoorexperienceforall.org

Thank You Hunters and Recreational Shooters

Arizona's rich outdoor heritage is enjoyed by all – thanks to hunters like you, whose purchase of hunting and recreational shooting equipment supports wildlife management and habitat enhancement in the Grand Canyon State. When you purchase a rifle, ammunition, archery equipment, and other sporting gear, you pay a federal excise tax and import duties.

Since 1937, this money has been collected by the federal government and redistributed to the states using a formula based on hunting license sales and the state's land area. In 2007, that meant over \$6.5 million for game management in Arizona. This money paid for game surveys, hunter education classes, wildlife water catchment construction, wildlife research and shooting range development and operations, among other projects.

Hunters like you are part of the largest and most successful wildlife conservation programs in the world...thank you.



Be a safe hunter, save time, take the hunter safety course online

Young hunters ages 10-13 looking to take to the field on a big game hunt will need to pass an Arizona certified hunter education course before his or her hunt.

With time constraints and busy schedules, one of the best ways to get this done is by going online to www.hunter-ed.com/az.

This self-paced online course covers all the elements of the "Today's Hunter in Arizona" booklet, however, to become certified, students must also successfully pass a mandatory "hands-on field day" within 90 days of completing the online course work.

Parents are encouraged to take the class too. In addition to learning how to be a safe and ethical hunter, there are many other good reasons to take the course, including:

- hunting techniques
- hunter responsibility and ethics
- how firearms work

- firearm safety and use
- wildlife identification
- wildlife conservation and management
- survival and first aid
- make new friends with similar interests

For more details visit: www.azgfd.gov/education under Hunter Education.

As a reminder, all hunters are encouraged to wear "hunter orange" in all hunting situations – except spring turkey season – and to remember Arizona's safe hunter's slogan, tab plus one (**T.A.B. +1**):

T = Treat every gun as if it were loaded.

A = Always point your muzzle in a safe direction.

B = Be sure of your target and what is beyond.

+1 = Keep your finger outside the trigger guard until ready to shoot.

Hunt Permit-tag and License Fee Information

The fees listed on this page are valid for 2010 hunts. Please refer to Notes below.

LICENSES	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	YOUTH/CHILD
General Hunting (Class G)	\$32.25	\$151.25	\$15.00 ¹ (not available through the draw)
Combination Hunt and Fish (Class F)	\$54.00	\$225.75	\$20.00 ¹ (not available through the draw)
Youth Combination Hunt and Fish (Class F)			\$26.50 ²
Three-Day Hunting (Class H) – not valid for big game	NA	\$61.25	use resident or non-resident fee
Super Conservation Hunting (Class M)	See page 5	NA	use resident or non-resident fee
Super Conservation Combination Hunt and Fish (Class N)	See page 5	NA	use resident or non-resident fee
Family General Hunting (Class J)	See page 5	NA	See page 5
Family Combination Hunt and Fish (Class K)	See page 5	NA	See page 5
Trapping	\$30.00	\$275.00	\$10.00 ³
Sport Falconry	\$87.50	NA	\$87.50
HUNT PERMIT-TAGS <i>Obtained only through application and drawing procedures, price shown includes \$7.50 application fee.</i>	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	YOUTH
Bonus Point	\$7.50	\$7.50	\$7.50
Deer Hunt Permit-tag	\$42.25	\$232.75	\$32.50 ⁴ (for Juniors-Only hunts)
Antelope Hunt Permit-tag	\$85.00	\$485.00	use resident or non-resident fee
Elk Hunt Permit-tag	\$121.50	\$595.00	\$57.50 ⁴ (for Juniors-Only hunts)
Turkey Hunt Permit-tag	\$25.50	\$77.75	\$17.50 ⁴ (for Juniors-Only hunts)
Javelina Hunt Permit-tag	\$28.75	\$105.00	\$22.50 ⁴ (for Juniors-Only hunts)
Bighorn Sheep Hunt Permit-tag ⁵	\$272.50	\$1,407.50	use resident or non-resident fee
Buffalo – Bull or Any Hunt Permit-tag	\$1,095.00	\$5,452.25	use resident or non-resident fee
Buffalo – Cow Hunt Permit-tag	\$659.50	\$3,262.75	use resident or non-resident fee
Buffalo – Cow or Yearling Hunt Permit-tag	\$659.50	\$3,262.75	use resident or non-resident fee
Buffalo – Yearling Hunt Permit-tag	\$362.75	\$1,754.75	use resident or non-resident fee
Bear Hunt Permit-tag ⁵	\$29.75	\$245.00	use resident or non-resident fee
Sandhill Crane Hunt Permit-tag (3 tags)	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$22.50
Pheasant Hunt Permit-tag (2 tags)	\$7.50	\$7.50	\$7.50
Raptor Hunt Permit-tag	\$7.50	\$7.50	\$7.50
NONPERMIT-TAGS <i>These tags may be purchased over-the-counter at Department offices or license dealers.</i>	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	YOUTH
Archery Deer Nonpermit-tag ⁶	\$34.75	\$225.25	use resident or non-resident fee
Elk Nonpermit-tag	\$114.00	\$587.50	use resident or non-resident fee
Juniors Only Turkey Nonpermit-tag			\$10.00
Fall Archery Turkey Nonpermit-tag	\$18.00	\$70.25	use resident or non-resident fee
Archery Javelina Nonpermit-tag	\$21.25	\$97.50	\$15.00
Bear Nonpermit-tag ⁵	\$22.25	\$237.50	use resident or non-resident fee
Mountain Lion Nonpermit-tag ⁵	\$14.50	\$225.00	use resident or non-resident fee
Bobcat Permit-tag (For sale or export) ⁷	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$3.00
STAMPS	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	YOUTH
Unit 12A (North Kaibab) Habitat Stamp	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00
Migratory Bird Stamp	\$4.50	\$4.50	\$4.50 ⁸
State Waterfowl Stamp	\$8.75	\$8.75	\$8.75 ⁸
Federal Waterfowl Stamp	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00 ⁸
DUPLICATE LICENSES, TAGS AND STAMPS: CONTACT THE ARIZONA GAME AND FISH DEPARTMENT			

Notes:

- For children at least age 10 during the license year, but less than age 14. **These licenses may not be purchased through the big game draw.** The Child General Hunting (Class G) and Child Combination Hunt and Fish (Class F) licenses are valid for both residents and non-residents and may only be purchased at Arizona Game and Fish Department offices.
- For youth less than 21 years of age. Youth Combination Hunt and Fish license fees apply before and throughout the calendar year of their 20th birthday. The Youth Class F license is valid for both residents and non-residents. This license may be purchased through a big game draw.
- For youth 14-17 years of age. Youth license is valid for both residents and non-residents.
- Permit-Tag fees are for "Juniors-Only" designated hunts. **A youth must pay the higher fee unless applying only for "Juniors-Only" hunts.**
- Mandatory physical check-in.
- Mandatory harvest reporting.
- Not available at license dealers.
- Youth, less than 16 years of age, are not required to purchase a state migratory bird stamp, state waterfowl stamp, or a federal waterfowl stamp.

Family and Super Conservation Licenses

The Family and Super Conservation licenses are designed to help you maximize your recreational dollar. See the cost-saving breakdowns below to determine what license packages are best for you.

FAMILY LICENSES – only available at Department offices, not through the draw

These are great values for married couples and parents with children under age 18. The first adult pays full license price, a legal spouse receives a 20-percent discount, and license fees are greatly discounted for every child in the immediate family under age 18. **These licenses may not be obtained through the big game draw.**

Eligibility: Residents only. Licenses may be purchased at any Department office. Family licenses may be issued to members of an immediate family residing in the same household. Immediate family means one adult, or two adults who are married to each other, and their children under age 18, including adoptive children, stepchildren, foster children, and other children for whom they are legal guardians.

Family License Class ³	What It Includes	Primary Adult ¹	Legal Spouse	Each Child ²	Family of 4 Total Price
Hunting (Class J)	General Hunt license	\$ 32.25	\$ 25.80	\$ 15.00	\$ 88.05 (Save \$29)
Combo Hunt and Fish (Class K)	Combo Hunt and Fish license	\$ 54.00	\$ 43.20	\$ 20.00	\$137.20 (Save \$24)

SUPER CONSERVATION LICENSES – only available at Department offices, not through the draw

These super package deals combine multiple licenses, stamps and tags to create outstanding values for avid anglers and hunters. **These licenses may not be obtained through the big game draw.**

Eligibility: Residents only. The Super Conservation Hunt and Super Conservation Combination Hunt and Fish licenses are available to residents only, and may only be purchased at Department offices.

Super Conservation License Class	What It Includes	Resident	Non-resident
Super Hunting (Class M)^{3,4}	General Hunt license, Unit 12A (North Kaibab) Habitat stamp, state waterfowl stamp and state migratory bird stamp privileges. Also includes nonpermit-tags for archery deer, archery turkey, bear and mountain lion.	\$ 118.00 (Save \$37)	not available
Super Combination Hunt and Fish (Class N)^{3,4}	General Fish license (Class A), Urban Fish license (Class U), trout stamp, and General Hunt license, Unit 12 A (North Kaibab) Habitat stamp, state waterfowl stamp, state migratory bird stamp, nonpermit-tags for archery deer, archery turkey, bear and mountain lion.	\$163.00 (Save \$50)	not available

Notes:

1. A Primary Adult license must be purchased before a spouse or child license can be issued.
2. A Child is defined as at least age 14 during the license year and under age 18 at the time of purchase. EXCEPT: when a license is purchased for the next calendar year, then the child must be under age 18 on Jan. 1 of the calendar year the license is being purchased for.
3. Super Conservation Hunt (Class M) and Super Conservation Combination Hunt and Fish (Class N) licenses, and Family licenses (Class J and K) can only be purchased at Department offices. They cannot be purchased through the draw or at license dealers.
4. All stamps and tags included in the Super Conservation Licenses are only valid during the appropriate seasons, and in conjunction with the appropriate hunt permit-tag issued through the draw process. The North Kaibab Habitat Stamp is only valid if you are drawn for a Unit 12A deer hunt.

Other Licenses Only Available at Arizona Game and Fish Offices

LIFETIME LICENSES

Available only to Arizona residents. License valid for lifetime. Fee schedule varies by license type and age. For more information, visit www.azgfd.gov and type "lifetime license" in the search box.

- General Fishing, Class A – valid all species except trout
- General Hunting, Class G
- Combo Hunt and Fish, Class F – valid all species
- Trout Stamp – validates Class A for taking of trout
- Wildlife Benefactor – includes Combo Hunt and Fish privileges

COMPLIMENTARY LICENSES

Must meet certain criteria to qualify for free licenses. Call (602) 942-3000 for more information or visit www.azgfd.gov.

- **Apprentice** – Resident licensed hunters are able to obtain a free Apprentice Hunting License, valid for two days, for use when mentoring a new hunter. This affords new hunters the opportunity to "try before you buy," under the supervision of a licensed hunter. A mentor must be a bona fide resident of this state who is at least 18 years of age and must possess a class F, G, J, K, M or N license or a complimentary or lifetime license. A mentor may apply for no more than two apprentice hunting licenses per calendar year.
- **Pioneer** – Call (602) 942-3000 for more information or visit www.azgfd.gov.
- **Disabled Veteran** – Call (602) 942-3000 for more information or visit www.azgfd.gov.

Draw Information

The Draw

When the number of hunt permits for a species in a particular area must be limited to prevent over-harvest of wildlife, the Commission Order governing seasons for that species assigns a hunt number to a designated area, and a hunt permit-tag is required to take that species in that area. Hunt permit-tags are issued through a computerized random drawing. Big game tags not issued through the drawing process are nonpermit-tags. Nonpermit-tags may be purchased directly from Department offices or through license dealers.

Qualifications

Individuals wishing to participate in a drawing or to purchase bonus points must apply in writing using the Hunt Permit-Tag Application Form.

Each applicant must possess a valid license for the year in which the hunt will take place or possess a lifetime, pioneer or disabled veteran's license. Non-resident Three-Day Class H licenses may not be used in applying for big game hunt permit-tags. **Youth applying for big game hunts must be licensed.** Applicants not licensed for the year in which the hunt will take place must submit the information and fees required for a license on **each** paper application submitted. Only one license will be issued to you and you will receive a refund for the other license fees submitted. The license will not be mailed until refunds and hunt permit-tags are mailed per the schedule on page 10.

Applying For A Hunt

Paper applications for hunt permit-tags must be made on Hunt Permit-Tag Application Forms available at Department offices, Web site, and license dealers. Please use the current year's application form, that is WHITE in color. **Do not cut or alter application form.** Applications not prepared in a legible manner may be deemed not valid and shall be rejected as specified in R12-4-104(O). Use standard blue or black ink (no gel ink).

No more than four people may apply in one envelope. All applicants in a group must apply for the same hunt number(s) and in the same

order of preference on the same form.

No person may submit more than one valid application per genus of wildlife in any calendar year, except as specified in R12-4-104(L), when genera are drawn in multiple drawings; however the annual bag limit still applies.

Each applicant shall complete only one block per application.

No more than one genus may be included on each Hunt Permit-Tag Application Form. Use a separate form, payment and envelope for each genus of wildlife you wish to hunt. You can list a general hunt as your first choice and another weapon type hunt for the same genus as another choice on the same application—just be sure they are in the same numerical series. Use only one application per genus, even if you are mixing weapon choices.

Only a single application and the correct fees must be included in one (1) envelope. More than one (1) application in an envelope may result in rejection of all applications.

Hunt Permit, Bonus Points Disclaimer

The issuance of any big game permit has no express or implied guarantee or warranty of hunter success. Any person holding a valid permit assumes the risk that circumstances beyond the control of the Arizona Game and Fish Department may prevent the permit holder from using the permit. In such situations, the Arizona Game and Fish Department disclaims any responsibility to reissue or replace a permit, to reinstate bonus points or to refund any fees, except under specific circumstances, such as activation of military or emergency personnel, as stated in R12-4-107(L).

Fees

When submitting paper applications, each applicant shall enclose the following fees:

1. The fee for the appropriate hunt permit-tag, which includes the permit application fee.
2. Fee for a hunting license, if a license is requested. Be sure to enclose license fees on **each** application, if required, for each per-

son who is applying on the application for a hunting license. Only one license will be issued per person.

3. **Discounted hunt permit-tag fees are for "Juniors-Only" designated hunts. A youth must pay the higher fee unless applying only for "Juniors-Only" hunts.**

Each payment enclosed with a hunt permit-tag application shall be made by certified check, cashier's check, money order, or personal check or draft payable to the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Cash will not be accepted and will result in rejection.

One personal check or money order can cover all fees for each application.

The permit and license fees are specified in the fee schedule on pages 4–5. The hunt permit-tag fees on page 4 include the non-refundable application fee.

Submitting Applications

Applications (except first-come, sandhill crane, and raptor applications) may be hand-delivered to Department offices in Phoenix, Mesa, Tucson, Flagstaff, Pinetop, Kingman or Yuma. Mailed applications must be sent only to the Department's Phoenix Office at P.O. Box 74020, Phoenix, AZ 85087-1052. On deadline days, Department business offices close at 5:00 p.m. (MST), but applications can be delivered to drop boxes until 7:00 p.m., (MST). Drop boxes are locked promptly at 7:00 p.m., (MST). All applications must be received by the Department before the deadline. Deadlines for submission are specified in the Hunt Permit-Tag Application Schedule on page 10. Postmarks don't count.

Complete and proper preparation of an application is the sole responsibility of the applicant.

What Happens To My Application?

Any application not properly prepared, submitted with insufficient fees or one that is illegible is not valid and will be rejected.

If there is an error that will result in the re-

Draw Information

jection of an application and the application is received by the Department on or before Thursday, September 24, 2009, we will make three attempts within a 24-hour period to notify you by telephone if a phone number is provided. If we are able to contact you by phone and our customer service representatives can correct the application at that time, they will do so and enter the application in the Draw. If an error cannot be corrected by phone, we will still attempt to notify you of the error and advise you to re-submit your application. The applicants may then prepare a new Hunt Permit-Tag Application Form, include the appropriate fees and re-apply by the scheduled deadline date.

If any applicant in a group is rejected for any reason, all other applicants in that group will also be rejected and no bonus points will be awarded.

No hunt permit-tag will be issued to anyone in a group if there are not sufficient hunt permit-tags available for all applicants in that group.

Hunt permit-tags will be mailed to each successful applicant.

What If I'm Not Drawn?

Please use one of the methods (telephone or Internet) described on this page to access draw results. These methods of access shall serve as the official notification of draw results.

Over-payments and hunt permit-tag fees received with unsuccessful applications will be returned to applicant "A," as shown on the Hunt Permit-Tag Application Form. Application and license fees will not be refunded. You will not be issued or charged for more than one license.

If you or a member of your group elected to donate your fees or a portion thereof, the donation will not be refunded. A hunting license is required to apply in a drawing. If an application is rejected and a license has been requested, the license will not be issued.

Unsuccessful, valid applications will be awarded bonus points.

Big game hunt permit-tags remaining after the drawing will be issued on a first-come, first-

served basis as specified in the hunt permit-tag application schedule on page 10.

Purchasing A Bonus Point Only

In the event you do not wish to participate in a big game drawing for deer, javelina, bighorn sheep or buffalo, but still wish to accumulate bonus points for these genera, you may "purchase a bonus point."

When completing your application, you must choose the bonus point hunt number established for that genus as your first choice. A bonus point hunt number is established within each applicable Commission Order. If you choose this hunt number, you may not choose any other hunt number on your application. **If the bonus point hunt number is any choice other than the first choice or any other hunt numbers appear on the application, your application will be rejected.** You may purchase only one bonus point per genus per drawing.

To purchase a bonus point, the individual must be 10 years old by the deadline date as specified in the hunt permit-tag application schedule on page 10.

To purchase a bonus point, you must have previously purchased a hunting license or apply

for a hunting license through the draw for the year in which the hunt will take place. You must also include the application fee per applicant. If applying for a bonus point, your application will **NOT** be entered into the draw and you will not receive a refund on the license fee or the application fee. Do not include the fee for the hunt permit-tag for the genus in which you are applying for the bonus point. **A bonus point purchase costs you only the license fee (if needed) and the \$7.50 application fee per applicant.**

If applying for more than one species for bonus points, you must complete a separate application for each species. Only a single application and the correct fees may be included in one envelope.

If you apply for a bonus point only using the established bonus point hunt number, you may **NOT** submit another application for the same genus. To do so will cause both applications to be rejected as duplicate applications.

All applicants in a group must apply for the same established bonus point hunt number. The application will not be included in the random number drawing and the individual(s) on the application will each receive a bonus point for that genus.

Useful Phone Numbers

Want To Know If You Were Drawn?

Call the Arizona Game and Fish Department's automated service at (602) 942-3000. Press 2 and follow voice prompts. You must provide your Department ID Number and birth date. This service is free of charge (long distance charges may apply).

Or visit the Arizona Game and Fish Department Web site at: www.azgfd.gov.

Main Number: (602) 942-3000

Choose 1 for known extension or name
Choose 2 for Draw and Bonus Points
Choose 4 for a list of services

Report a Game or Fish Violation

1 (800) 352-0700

General Information

Wildlife News (623) 236-7700
Weekly Fishing Report (623) 236-7701
Leftover Permits (623) 236-7702

Report Vandalism or Livestock Depredation

1 (800) VANDALS (826-3257)

Mandatory Harvest Reporting of:

Bear 1 (800) 970-BEAR (2327)
Lion 1 (877) 438-0447
Archery Deer 1 (866) 903-DEER (3337)

How to Apply for the Draw

Completing Your Paper Hunt Permit-tag Application Form

In order to participate in the draw you must correctly fill out and sign a paper hunt permit-tag application form and submit it by mail or drop it off to any of the seven Arizona Game and Fish Department offices along with a check or money order for the correct amount. Paper application forms are available at all Department offices, more than 300 license dealers statewide, and as a downloadable PDF electronic document from the Department's Web site at www.azgfd.gov/draw. A list of dealers can be found on the Department's Web site. The use of the PDF form requires that the free Adobe Reader software be installed on your computer. The PDF form can be printed from your computer and then filled out using an ink pen or you can fill it out on your computer using your keyboard (this form does not alert you if an error is made). Once the form has been correctly filled out, it must be printed, signed and submitted by mail or dropped off at the Department along with a check or money order for the correct amount. There is no online draw application process – only paper application forms mailed or dropped off at a Department office are eligible for entry into the draw.

R12-4-104 and R12-4-114 explain application and drawing procedures in detail. Complete and proper preparation of an application is the sole responsibility of the applicant. If any applicant in the group fails to complete any required portion of the application, all applicants in the group will be rejected.

Numbered paragraphs correspond to numbers circled on the SAMPLE form, use it to assist you in completing your form, which can be found online, at any license dealer or Department office.

1 Enter the hunt number(s) of the hunt(s) in which you wish to participate. The hunt number will indicate the genus (deer, turkey, etc.) and area you want to hunt. **Do not use the Game Management Unit Number.** Hunt numbers are listed in the far left column of each Commission Order. Deer hunts are in the 1000 series, turkey hunts are in the 4000 series, etc. All hunt numbers on an application must be in the same series. **YOU CANNOT MIX HUNT SERIES NUMBERS, BUT YOU CAN MIX**

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In order to participate in the draw, you must have or apply for a license. If you are not licensed at the time you submit your Hunt Permit-tag Application Form, you must apply for a license on each application you submit by completing the license portion of the application form. The license fee must be included with each application. See the applicable hunt regulations for license fees.

WEAPON TYPES WITHIN A SERIES. You must submit a separate application for each genus (series). No more than five hunt choices can be requested. You may request fewer. You do not have to fill in all the blocks. You may only apply for either a bonus point or a valid hunt number for any genus, NOT both.

2 Enter your correct date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy).

3 Enter your Social Security Number. In accordance with Federal Requirement, 42 U.S.C. Section 666 (A)(13) and A.R.S. 25-320 (P) and 25-502 (K), you **must** provide your valid Social Security Number in the space provided. This is kept on file with the Arizona Department of Economic Security for use in identifying and tracking child support offenders. Any invalid SSN will result in rejection of the application. If you are not a U.S. citizen you must write "NOT US CITIZ" in the Social Security field. If you are not a U.S. citizen, you must obtain a Depart-

ment I.D. Number prior to submitting and enter it on the application. See #6. You may obtain a Department issued ID number by calling (602) 942-3000 during business hours.

4 Check the appropriate resident or non-resident box. Resident means a person who has been a bona fide resident of the state of Arizona for six months immediately preceding the date of application, or a member of the Armed Forces who has been stationed in Arizona for a period of 30 days immediately preceding the date of application for a license.

5 Enter your valid Arizona hunting license number for the year in which the hunt for which you are applying occurs. The hunting license number consists of two letters and six numbers. You may purchase a license through the draw by completing the License Application Form at the bottom of the application and submitting payment with each of your applications if you are not licensed.

How to Apply for the Draw

6 Enter your Department I.D. Number (formerly called Sportsman I.D.). This number is for those individuals who choose to use a Department issued I.D. Number instead of a social security number to track bonus points or for non-U.S. citizens. This is a permanent number and is to be used on all hunt applications. Your I.D. Number (if different from SSN) is vital to track your bonus points and to ensure that you receive the proper credits. Using a different number may result in your not receiving proper bonus point credits. An I.D. Number may be obtained by calling the Department. You **must** still provide a valid SSN even if you provide a valid Department I.D. Number. See #3.

7 Enter your correct full name (last name first), home mailing address, city, state and zip code.

8 The Department will make three attempts within a 24-hour period to notify you of errors that will result in the rejection of your application if the application is received on or before Thursday, September 24, 2009. If you wish to participate in this service, please list a telephone number where you can be

reached. You are not required to enter your telephone number.

9 Each individual applying, or an appointed individual, must sign the appropriate application section.

COMPLETE 10-16 ONLY IF APPLYING FOR A LICENSE.

10 Enter M for Male, F for Female.

11 Enter your weight in pounds.

12 Enter your height in feet and inches.

13 Enter the appropriate abbreviation for hair color:

BLD - Bald	BLK - Black
BLN - Blonde	BRN - Brown
GRY - Gray	RED - Red
SDY - Sandy	WHT - White

14 Enter the appropriate abbreviation for eye color:

BLK - Black	BLU - Blue	BRN - Brown
GRN - Green	GRY - Gray	HZL - Hazel

15 Enter the number of years and/or months that you have been a resident of Arizona. (See page 8, Completing Your Hunt Permit-Tag Appli-

cation Form, # 4, to determine if you qualify.) No entry is required here for a nonresident applicant.

16 Check the box next to the license type which you wish to purchase. **If you are requesting a license on more than one application, you must specify the same class of license on each application and include the license fee with each application. You will not be issued or charged for more than one license.** If you are not licensed for the year in which the hunt will occur, you must complete the License Application Form for each genus applied for and include payment for a license with each application. If you are drawn for more than one genus, only one license will be issued in your name. If you are not drawn, you will be refunded only the hunt permit-tag fee. You must possess or purchase a license to participate in a drawing or to purchase a bonus point. No refunds will be issued for license or application fees if you apply in a drawing and are unsuccessful in the drawing. **If you do not check the box next to the license type you wish to purchase, your application will be rejected.**

Help Arizona's Big Game Species: Donate to the Big Game Habitat Fund

Arizona's array of big game species is one of the most diverse in the nation. By contributing to the Big Game Habitat Fund, you become our partner in conservation, helping the Arizona Game and Fish Department improve wildlife habitat across the state.

Funds derived from hunter donations are used to conduct habitat improvement projects for all of Arizona's big game species. To view some of the projects accomplished with these funds please visit our Web site at: www.azgfd.gov/landowner.

You can become part of Arizona's success story by donating a portion of your refund to big game habitat projects. Do so by entering the amount of your donation in the space provided. This is a voluntary donation which will be deducted from your refund.

17 Enter the amount you wish to donate in this block. This donation will be subtracted from your refund if you are eligible for a refund.

17

If unsuccessful, I wish to donate \$_____ from my refund to the Big Game Habitat Fund.

Hunt Permit-tag Application Schedule – Spring 2010

Hunt permit-tag applications will be accepted and processed in accordance with R12-4-104 and R12-4-114 and this schedule.

Drawing

	ACCEPTANCE DATES ¹	CORRECTION PERIOD ²	DEADLINE DATES ³		
HUNT	Applications accepted on or after:	Deadline 5 p.m. (MST) in Department offices	Deadline 7 p.m. (MST) in Department offices on:	Hunt permit-tags mailed out by:	Refund warrants mailed out by:
Spring Turkey	(See note 1)	Sept. 24, 2009	Oct. 13, 2009	Dec. 4, 2009	Nov. 27, 2009
Spring Javelina	(See note 1)	Sept. 24, 2009	Oct. 13, 2009	Dec. 4, 2009	Nov. 27, 2009
Spring Buffalo	(See note 1)	Sept. 24, 2009	Oct. 13, 2009	Dec. 4, 2009	Nov. 27, 2009
Spring Bear	(See note 1)	Sept. 24, 2009	Oct. 13, 2009	Dec. 4, 2009	Nov. 27, 2009

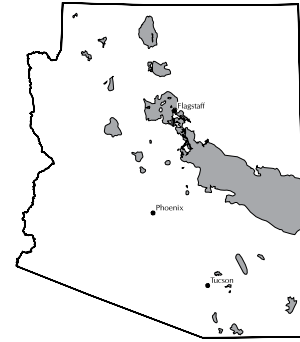
First Come ⁴

	Applications accepted by mail on or after 8:00 a.m. (MST):	Permits available for purchase at all Department offices after 8:00 a.m. (MST):
HUNT	ACCEPTANCE DATES	ACCEPTANCE DATES
Spring Turkey	Nov. 30, 2009 ⁵	Dec. 7, 2009 ⁵
Spring Javelina	Nov. 30, 2009 ⁵	Dec. 7, 2009 ⁵
Spring Buffalo	Nov. 30, 2009 ⁵	Dec. 7, 2009 ⁵
Spring Bear	Nov. 30, 2009 ⁵	Dec. 7, 2009 ⁵

Notes:

1. The Department will accept Hunt Permit-tag Applications for big game listed above as soon as the applicable year's hunt information is available on the Department's Web site (www.azgfd.gov), or from any Game and Fish Department office or license dealer, unless otherwise noted in the Hunt Permit-tag Application schedule.
2. If a paper Hunt Permit-tag Application that is submitted contains an error and is received by Sept. 24, 2009, the Department will make three attempts within a 24-hour period to notify the applicant by telephone (if a phone number is provided).
3. Department offices at Flagstaff, Kingman, Mesa, Phoenix, Pinetop, Tucson and Yuma will close for business at 5:00 p.m. (MST); completed applications will be accepted at these locations until 7:00 p.m. (MST) on deadline days. No applications will be accepted after this time regardless of the postmark. Deadline dates may be extended in the event of a Department-related system failure.
4. First come permits are issued if available and will sell very quickly. Applicants are advised to check with the Department before submitting an application for leftover permits. A listing of leftover permits is available online at www.azgfd.gov or at any Department office.
5. Applications for first come permits, if available for hunts on Camp Navajo or Fort Huachuca, must be submitted by U.S. mail only to, P.O. Box 74020, Phoenix, AZ 85087-1052.

Turkey Hunts



■ Distribution

For further information on turkeys, their habitat, range, natural history, or where you can hunt them in Arizona, please visit www.azgfd.gov.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

License Required	Any valid hunting or combination license except a Three-Day Hunting (Class H) (See tables on pages 4-5 for Resident and Non-resident license fees).
Tag Required	Hunt Permit-tag obtained only through application and draw process as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. EXCEPT for Juniors-Only Nonpermit-tag Turkey hunts, a Juniors-Only Turkey Nonpermit-tag must be obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.
Hunt Numbers Required	When applying for big game hunt permit-tags, you must use hunt numbers.
Legal Methods of Take	Limited Weapon–Shotgun Shooting Shot Hunt: Any shotgun shooting shot as prescribed in R12-4-318, or crossbow or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.
Legal Animal Definition	Bearded turkey means a turkey with a beard that extends beyond the contour feathers of the breast.
Bag Limit	One (1) turkey per calendar year, except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

To hunt turkey in Arizona, you need a valid hunting or combination license and a turkey tag. To hunt turkey during a Limited Weapon–Shotgun Shooting Shot season, you must apply through a draw for a hunt permit-tag. To hunt turkey during Limited Weapon–Shotgun Shooting Shot Juniors-Only season, you may purchase a nonpermit-tag from a Department office or license dealer.

The Department offers “Juniors-Only” designated hunts. Persons are eligible to participate up to and throughout the calendar year of their 17th birthday, provided that persons between the ages of 10 and 13 have satisfactorily completed a Hunter Education Course that is approved by the Director as per ARS 17-335 (C). Youth hunt permit-tag fees are NOT valid when applying for the Limited Weapon–Shotgun Shooting Shot Spring Turkey hunts. Youths applying for these hunts must pay the resident or non-resident fees.

Turkey: Commission Order 5

LIMITED WEAPON-SHOTGUN SHOOTING SHOT SPRING TURKEY

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
4000	BONUS POINT ONLY – See page 4 (No other hunt number may be chosen in conjunction with this one).				
MERRIAM'S					
4001	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		1	Bearded turkey	500
4002	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		1	Bearded turkey	525
4003	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		3B	Bearded turkey	125
4004	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		3B	Bearded turkey	125
4005	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		3C	Bearded turkey	175
4006	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		3C	Bearded turkey	175
4007	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		4A and 4B	Bearded turkey	250
4008	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		4A and 4B	Bearded turkey	250
4009	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		5A	Bearded turkey	150
4010	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		5A	Bearded turkey	200
4011	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		5B	Bearded turkey	100
4012	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		5B	Bearded turkey	100
4013	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		6A	Bearded turkey	350

Turkey: Commission Order 5 (continued)

LIMITED WEAPON-SHOTGUN SHOOTING SHOT SPRING TURKEY

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
4014	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		6A	Bearded turkey	350
4015	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(1)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bearded turkey	60
4016	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(1)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bearded turkey	90
4017	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		7	Bearded turkey	175
4018	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		7	Bearded turkey	200
4019	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		8 and 10	Bearded turkey	250
4020	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		8 and 10	Bearded turkey	150
4021	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		9	Bearded turkey	60
4022	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		9	Bearded turkey	50
4023	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		12A	Bearded turkey	300
4024	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		12A	Bearded turkey	300
4025	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13A	Bearded turkey	25
4026	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13A	Bearded turkey	15
4027	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13B (South of Wolfhole - Jacobs Well Road)	Bearded turkey	20
4028	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13B (South of Wolfhole - Jacobs Well Road)	Bearded turkey	15
4029	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		17A, 17B, and 18B	Bearded turkey	10
4030	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		17A, 17B, and 18B	Bearded turkey	10
4031	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		20A	Bearded turkey	5
4032	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		20A	Bearded turkey	10
4033	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		22	Bearded turkey	110
4034	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		22	Bearded turkey	110
4035	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		23	Bearded turkey	225
4036	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		23	Bearded turkey	225
4037	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		24A	Bearded turkey	2
4038	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		24A	Bearded turkey	3
4039	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		27	Bearded turkey	675
4040	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		27	Bearded turkey	600
---	Apr 23 - May 20, 2010	(1)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Bearded turkey	--

GOULD'S

4041	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	29	Bearded turkey	5
4042	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	29	Bearded turkey	5
4043	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	31	Bearded turkey	6
4044	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	31	Bearded turkey	6
4045	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	33	Bearded turkey	2
4046	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	33	Bearded turkey	2
4047	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	34A	Bearded turkey	1
4048	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	34A	Bearded turkey	1
4049	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Bearded turkey	4
4050	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Bearded turkey	4
---	Apr 23 - May 20, 2010	(3,4)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Bearded turkey	--
Total					7106

JUNIORS-ONLY NONPERMIT-TAG REQUIRED (LIMITED WEAPON-SHOTGUN SHOOTING SHOT) TURKEY

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife
Apr 16 - May 20, 2010	(1)	1, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), 7, 8, 10, 12A, 23, and 27	Bearded turkey

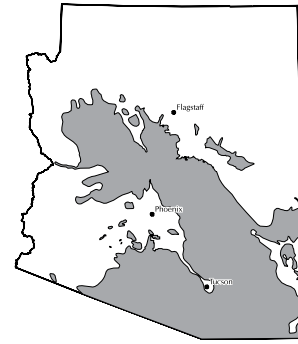
Turkey Notes:

1. Camp Navajo in Unit 6B is open to turkey hunting only to properly licensed hunters who meet the qualifications as "Authorized Participants" according to the installation hunting policies outlined on the Camp Navajo Web site. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Hunters must agree to the Camp Navajo hunting policies during the required registration at http://www.campnavajo.com/index.php?which_page=recreation. After registering, hunters will gain access to the hunt numbers required when submitting the application. All hunters are required to show proof of attendance to a hunter safety education course during paperwork submission for the Camp

- Navajo permit. Increases in Force Protection Conditions, training missions and industrial operations may result in partial or complete hunt cancellation at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled, hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department.
2. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.
3. Turkeys in Units 29, 31, 33, 34A, and 35A are Gould's turkeys.
4. The Fort Huachuca Military Reservation in Unit 35A is open to turkey hunting only to properly licensed Fort Huachuca military and civilian personnel holding a valid Fort Huachuca post

hunting permit. Hunt numbers, season dates and/or special regulations must be obtained from Fort Huachuca. Increases in Force Protection may result in hunt cancellations at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled due to an increase in security, hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Fort Huachuca contact information: Commander, U.S. Army Garrison, ATTN: IMWE-HUA-PWB (Hunting), Fort Huachuca, AZ 85613-7010, www.huachuca.army.mil/usag/dpw/hunting.html, (520) 533-2549 or ftuachucawildlife@conus.army.mil.

Javelina Hunts



■ Distribution

For further information on javelina, their habitat, range, natural history, or where you can hunt them in Arizona, please visit www.azgfd.gov.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

License Required	Any valid hunting or combination license except a Three-Day Hunting (Class H) (See tables on pages 4-5 for Resident and Non-resident license fees).
Tag Required	Hunt Permit-tag obtained only through application and draw process as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. EXCEPT for Archery-Only Javelina (Units 11M, 25M, 26M, 38M, and 47M) where a hunt nonpermit-tag must be obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.
Hunt Numbers Required	When applying for big game hunt permit-tags, you must use hunt numbers.
Legal Methods of Take	General Hunt and Juniors-Only Hunt: Any firearm, crossbow or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304. HAM: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, crossbow, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-318. Archery-Only Hunt: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318, and crossbow as allowed under R12-4-216.
Bag Limit	One (1) javelina per calendar year, except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

To hunt javelina in Arizona, you need a valid hunting or combination license and a javelina tag. To hunt javelina in General, Juniors-Only, HAM and Archery-Only seasons, you must apply for and obtain a hunt permit-tag through the draw. To hunt javelina in an Archery-Only Nonpermit Tag season, you may purchase a nonpermit-tag from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.

*The Department offers "Juniors-Only" designated hunts. If applying for a Juniors-Only Hunt, do not reapply for the same species with other applicants on a separate application. Persons are eligible to participate up to and throughout the calendar year of their 17th birthday, provided that persons between the ages of 10 and 13 have satisfactorily completed a Hunter Education Course that is approved by the Director as per ARS 17-335 (C). **A youth must pay the higher fee unless applying only for "Juniors-Only" hunts.***

Javelina: Commission Order 6

GENERAL SPRING JAVELINA

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
5000	BONUS POINT ONLY – See page 4 (No other hunt number may be chosen in conjunction with this one).				
5001	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), and 8	Any javelina	150
5002	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		10 and 18A	Any javelina	250

Javelina: Commission Order 6 (continued)

GENERAL SPRING JAVELINA

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
5003	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		16A	Any javelina	350
5004	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		17A and 17B	Any javelina	450
5005	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		18B	Any javelina	450
5006	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		19A	Any javelina	400
5007	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		19B	Any javelina	250
5008	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		20A	Any javelina	350
5009	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		20B	Any javelina	625
5010	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		20C	Any javelina	250
5011	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(1,4)	21	Any javelina	500
5012	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		22	Any javelina	600
5013	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		23	Any javelina	325
5014	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		24A	Any javelina	225
5015	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		24B	Any javelina	225
5016	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		27	Any javelina	125
5017	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		28	Any javelina	200
5018	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		29	Any javelina	100
5019	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		30A	Any javelina	350
5020	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	30B	Any javelina	125
5021	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(9)	31	Any javelina	175
5022	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(9)	32	Any javelina	450
5023	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		33	Any javelina	650
5024	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		34A	Any javelina	550
5025	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		34B	Any javelina	100
5026	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(2)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Any javelina	75
5027	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		35B	Any javelina	75
5028	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	36A	Any javelina	375
5029	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	36B	Any javelina	475
5030	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	36C	Any javelina	275
5031	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(4)	37A	Any javelina	880
5032	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(8)	37B	Any javelina	1000
5033	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		42 and 44A (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	100
---	Feb 12 - Feb 18, 2010	(2)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any javelina	---
Total					11480

JUNIORS-ONLY SPRING JAVELINA

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
5034	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), and 8	Any javelina	75
5035	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		10, 17A, 17B, 18A, 19A, 19B, and 20A	Any javelina	100
5036	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		16A (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	50
5037	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		18B	Any javelina	100
5038	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		20B and 21	Any javelina	115
5039	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		20C	Any javelina	100
5040	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		22 and 23	Any javelina	75
5041	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		24A and 24B	Any javelina	45
5042	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		27	Any javelina	25
5043	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010	(3,9)	28, 29, 30A, 30B, 31, and 32	Any javelina	75
5044	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010	(8)	33, 37A, and 37B	Any javelina	150
5045	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		34A and 34B	Any javelina	40
5046	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		35A (except Fort Huachuca) and 35B	Any javelina	20
5047	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010	(3)	36A, 36B, and 36C	Any javelina	50
Total					1020

HAM SPRING JAVELINA

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
5048	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), and 8	Any javelina	50
5049	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		10 and 18A	Any javelina	100
5050	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		16A (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	100
5051	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		17A and 17B	Any javelina	100
5052	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		18B	Any javelina	250
5053	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		19A	Any javelina	100
5054	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		19B	Any javelina	100
5055	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		20A	Any javelina	150
5056	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		20B	Any javelina	325
5057	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		20C	Any javelina	325
5058	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(1,4)	21	Any javelina	200
5059	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		22	Any javelina	350

Javelina: Commission Order 6 (continued)

HAM SPRING JAVELINA

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
5060	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		23	Any javelina	200
5061	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		24A	Any javelina	135
5062	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		24B	Any javelina	100
5063	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		27	Any javelina	50
5064	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		28	Any javelina	85
5065	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		29	Any javelina	40
5066	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		30A	Any javelina	100
5067	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	30B	Any javelina	125
5068	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(9)	31	Any javelina	130
5069	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(9)	32	Any javelina	250
5070	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		33	Any javelina	380
5071	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		34A	Any javelina	285
5072	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		34B	Any javelina	30
5073	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(2)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Any javelina	80
5074	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		35B	Any javelina	80
5075	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	36A	Any javelina	165
5076	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	36B	Any javelina	150
5077	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	36C	Any javelina	115
5078	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(4)	37A	Any javelina	360
5079	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(8)	37B	Any javelina	500
Total					5510

ARCHERY-ONLY SPRING JAVELINA

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
5080	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		1, 2A, 2B, 2C, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), 7, 8, and 9	Any javelina	700
5081	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(4,7)	10, 15A, 15B, 15C, 15D, 16A, 18A, 39, 40A, 40B, 41, 42, 43A, 43B, 44A, and 44B (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	1000
5082	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		17A, 17B, 18B, 19A, 19B, and 20A	Any javelina	1500
5083	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		20B	Any javelina	475
5084	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		20C	Any javelina	275
5085	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(1,4)	21	Any javelina	420
5086	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		22	Any javelina	450
5087	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		23	Any javelina	200
5088	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		24A	Any javelina	150
5089	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		24B	Any javelina	175
5090	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		27	Any javelina	75
5091	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(3,9)	28, 29, 30A, 30B, 31, and 32	Any javelina	1200
5092	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(8)	33 and 37B	Any javelina	1200
5093	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(4)	34A and 37A	Any javelina	700
5094	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(2)	34B, 35A (except Fort Huachuca), and 35B	Any javelina	300
5095	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(3)	36A, 36B, and 36C	Any javelina	800
---	Jan 1 - Jan 31, 2010	(2)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any javelina	---
Total					9620

ARCHERY-ONLY NONPERMIT-TAG REQUIRED SPRING JAVELINA

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife
Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(4,5,6)	11M, 25M, 26M, 38M, and 47M	Any javelina

Javelina Notes:

1. Cave Creek Recreational Area is closed to javelina hunting.
2. The Fort Huachuca Military Reservation in Unit 35A is open to javelina hunting only to properly licensed Fort Huachuca military and civilian personnel holding a valid Fort Huachuca post hunting permit. Hunt numbers, season dates and/or special regulations must be obtained from Fort Huachuca. Increases in Force Protection may result in hunt cancellations at

any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled due to an increase in security, hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Fort Huachuca contact information: Commander, U.S. Army Garrison, ATTN: IMWE-HUA-PWB (Hunting),

Fort Huachuca, AZ 85613-7010, www.huachuca.army.mil/usag/dpw/hunting.html, (520) 533-2549 or ftuachucawildlife@conus.army.mil.

3. The Buenos Aires Refuge is open to javelina hunting as permitted by refuge regulations; all other Refuges are closed.
4. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.

Javelina Notes continued:

5. Hunting is not permitted in Unit 26M in the following described area: Those private lands lying just north of the Town of Cave Creek in Sections 10, 11, 12, 14 and 15 of Township 6 North, Range 3 East.
6. Hunting is not permitted in Unit 47M in the following described area: an unincorporated portion of land within the City of Mesa known as the Elliott and Hawes County Island in Section 16, Township 1 South, Range 7 East.
7. Entry into portions of units 40A, 40B, 46A, and 46B is subject to military closure and requires coordination with the Barry M. Goldwater Range (BMGR) for hunting access. A) Weapons impact areas on the Air Force side of the BMGR, to include the East Tactical Range (including the Paradise Well area), are closed to entry at all times. All persons desiring to hunt outside weapons impact areas but within the boundaries of the BMGR located in Units 40A and 40B or to cross the BMGR to access Units 46A and 46B are required to sign a Hold Harmless Agreement and obtain a Special Use Range Permit. More information about the Special Use Range Permit may be obtained by calling the 56th Fighter Wing Range Management Office Public Affairs person at (623) 856-8516 or (623) 856-8520. B) Access to the Air Force's one public recreation area (Area B) or the Marine Corps side of the BMGR does not require a Special Use Range Permit but still requires a Recreational Permit that can be obtained by calling: the Marine Corps Air Station in Yuma at (928) 269-7150; the Bureau of Land Management, Phoenix Field Office at (623) 580-5500; the Cabeza Prieta National Wildlife Refuge at (520) 387-6483; the Public Lands Information Center at (602) 417-9300; or the Gila Bend Air Force Auxiliary Field at (928) 683-6200.
8. The Florence Military Reservation (training areas B and D: the areas north and south of Cottonwood Canyon Road) in Unit 37B is subject to short term closures due to military operations, including live fire operations, and requires coordination with the Florence Military Reservation for hunting access. For specific closure dates or any other access concerns, contact the Florence Military Reservation at (602) 267-2062. A map of the Florence Military Reservation is located on the Arizona Game and Fish Department's Web site, azgfd.gov (type Florence Military Reservation in the search box).
9. Unit 31 and 32 hunts -- Access to Aravaipa Canyon Wildlife Area (as prescribed in R12-

4-802) is allowed by permit only, available through the Safford Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management. For more information, contact the Safford Field Office at (928) 348-4400 or www.blm.gov/az/sfo/aravaipa/aravaipa.htm.

It's Important!

Remember to return your hunter questionnaire. See new format below!

Dear Hunter:

Please consider completing this survey online at: www.azgfd.gov

You have been chosen to take part in a survey of hunters for the 2009-2010 season. This is an opportunity for you to make a personal contribution to the game management in Arizona. The information you provide will allow us to evaluate harvest for each species, along with other vital information. As well as summarizing this hunting season, the information we gain lets the gamekeepers for next year.

Please respond at your earliest convenience. Our goal is to receive a response from each survey respondent. We need your response even if you did not go hunting. Note that, on some questionnaires, one question provides space for listing more than one game management unit. Some units are subdivided (A, B, C). Enter in these boxes each of the game management units and subunits in which you hunted. Thanks to you, we believe we have one of the most accurate harvest surveys in the nation.

Thank you for being a part of wildlife management in Arizona.

Sincerely, the Arizona Game and Fish Department Wildlife Management Division

Hunt: _____

Permit: _____

www.azgfd.gov

Please consider completing your survey online to help reduce postage and data entry costs.

2009 General Elk Hunter Questionnaire

1. Did you hunt elk during the 2009 General or Muzzleloader Season?
Yes ☐ No ☐

2. Did you use a: ☐ Centerfire rifle ☐ Muzzleloader rifle
☐ Bow and arrow ☐ Other ☐
☐ Shotgun

3. Write in the number of each unit in which you hunted elk (one unit per box).

4. Write in the number of days hunted in each unit. (Count part of a day as a whole day. Do not count pre-season scouting as hunting.)

5. Did you bag an elk during the General or Muzzleloader Season?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Unit of kill: _____ Date of kill: _____ (month and day)

6. Was the elk killed a: ☐ Bull ☐ Spike ☐ Cow ☐ Calf

7. Number of points on left antler: _____ Right antler: _____

8. Did you shoot any elk which could not be recovered?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Attention Hunters Operating Off-Highway Vehicles

OHV rules and laws:

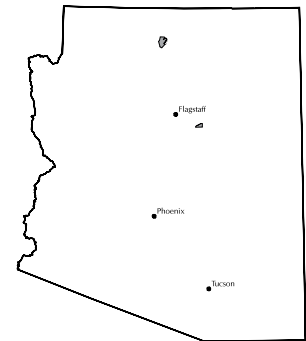
- No one may use a motor vehicle to assist in the taking of wildlife (except as permitted under the Challenged Hunter Access Mobil-ity Permit, R12-4-217).
- An off-highway vehicle may only be used as a means of travel. It is unlawful to shoot from any OHV, to shoot across, near or from any railroad or roadway.
- It is illegal to chase or harass any wildlife with a motorized vehicle.
- Cross-country travel is illegal in most areas, unless you are picking up legally taken big game (some areas do not allow even that). Always check with the land management agency.
- As of Jan. 1, 2009, you are required to display the OHV Decal on your vehicle if it meets the two following requirements:
 1. It is made by the manufacturer primarily for travel over unimproved terrain and
 2. Has an unladen weight of 1,800 pounds or less
- As of July 1, 2009, all OHVs are required to have a certificate of title. You can obtain a title from the Arizona Department of Transportation Motor Vehicle Division (MVD).
- Anyone 18 and under riding on an OHV or ATV is required by law to wear a properly fitted and fastened U.S. Department of Transportation approved helmet.
- All OHVs are required to have a USDA approved spark arrestor and either a muffler or noise dissipative device that prevents sound above 96 decibels.
- It is unlawful to drive an OHV on roads, trails, routes or areas marked closed by any land management agency or private land owner.
- A person from out-of-state may operate an OHV in Arizona if all of the following apply: The person is not a resident of this state and the person owns the vehicle and the vehi-



cle displays a current title/registration/decal from the person's state of residence and the vehicle is not in this state for more than 30 consecutive days.

- When carrying a rifle or shotgun on an ATV, it should be unloaded and put in a case that is firmly attached to the vehicle. It is unsafe to carry a rifle or shotgun mounted on the handlebars of an ATV.
- If you witness habitat damage or vandalism, report it at 1-800-VANDALS (826-3257).

Buffalo Hunts



■ Distribution

For further information on buffalo, their habitat, range, natural history, or where you can hunt them in Arizona, please visit www.azgfd.gov.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

License Required	Any valid hunting or combination license except a Three-Day Hunting (Class H) (See tables on pages 4-5 for Resident and Non-resident license fees).
Tag Required	Hunt Permit-tag obtained only through application and draw process as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114.
Hunt Numbers Required	When applying for big game hunt permit-tags, you must use hunt numbers.
Legal Methods of Take	Bow and arrow, centerfire rifles, muzzleloading rifles, or all other rifles using black powder as prescribed in R12-4-304.
Bag Limit	One (1) buffalo in a lifetime, except as prescribed in R12-4-120.
<i>To hunt buffalo in Arizona, you need a valid hunting or combination license and a buffalo tag. To hunt buffalo in any season, you must apply for and obtain a hunt permit-tag through the draw.</i>	
<i>Buffalo meat taken under this Order may be sold as prescribed in R12-4-305. SEE BUFFALO HUNT REGULATIONS UNDER R12-4-306. View the current hunt regulations booklet for the rule reference.</i>	
HOUSE ROCK BUFFALO HUNT SPECIAL NOTE: During the fall and spring hunts at the House Rock Wildlife Area (HRWA), a significant portion of the herd has in the past moved to the Grand Canyon National Park where hunting is not allowed. Hunters are advised that if this occurs, their ability to successfully harvest a buffalo may be significantly impacted. As with any hunt, circumstances beyond the control of the Arizona Game and Fish Department may prevent the permit holder from being successful. The Arizona Game and Fish Department and Commission disclaims any responsibility to reissue or replace a permit, to reinstate bonus points, to refund any fees, or to provide any other form of relief. The HRWA buffalo hunt is considered to be one of the most difficult hunts in the state. Buffalo can be difficult to locate. Plan on spending the entire season hunting, as an abbreviated hunt will lower your chances of success. Buffalo hunters must dress and care for their own animals; the Department will not assist. Take time to improve your physical condition. Hunters are often required to walk considerable distances (up to 8 miles) every day over rugged terrain. House Rock hunters should be prepared for remote and primitive conditions. High clearance or four-wheel drive vehicles are recommended. Some portions of HRWA are included in the U.S. Forest Service wilderness system that does not preclude hunter access but does limit their means of transportation and equipment usage. For more information, call the Flagstaff Regional Office at 928-774-5045.	
<i>Buffalo meat taken under this Order may be sold as prescribed in R12-4-305. SEE BUFFALO HUNT REGULATIONS UNDER R12-4-306.</i>	

Buffalo: Commission Order 8

GENERAL BUFFALO

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
7000	BONUS POINT ONLY – See page 4 (No other hunt number may be chosen in conjunction with this one).				
7020	Jan 15 - Jan 17, 2010		5A and 5B (Raymond Wildlife Area Herd)	Adult bull buffalo only	1

Buffalo: Commission Order 8 (continued)

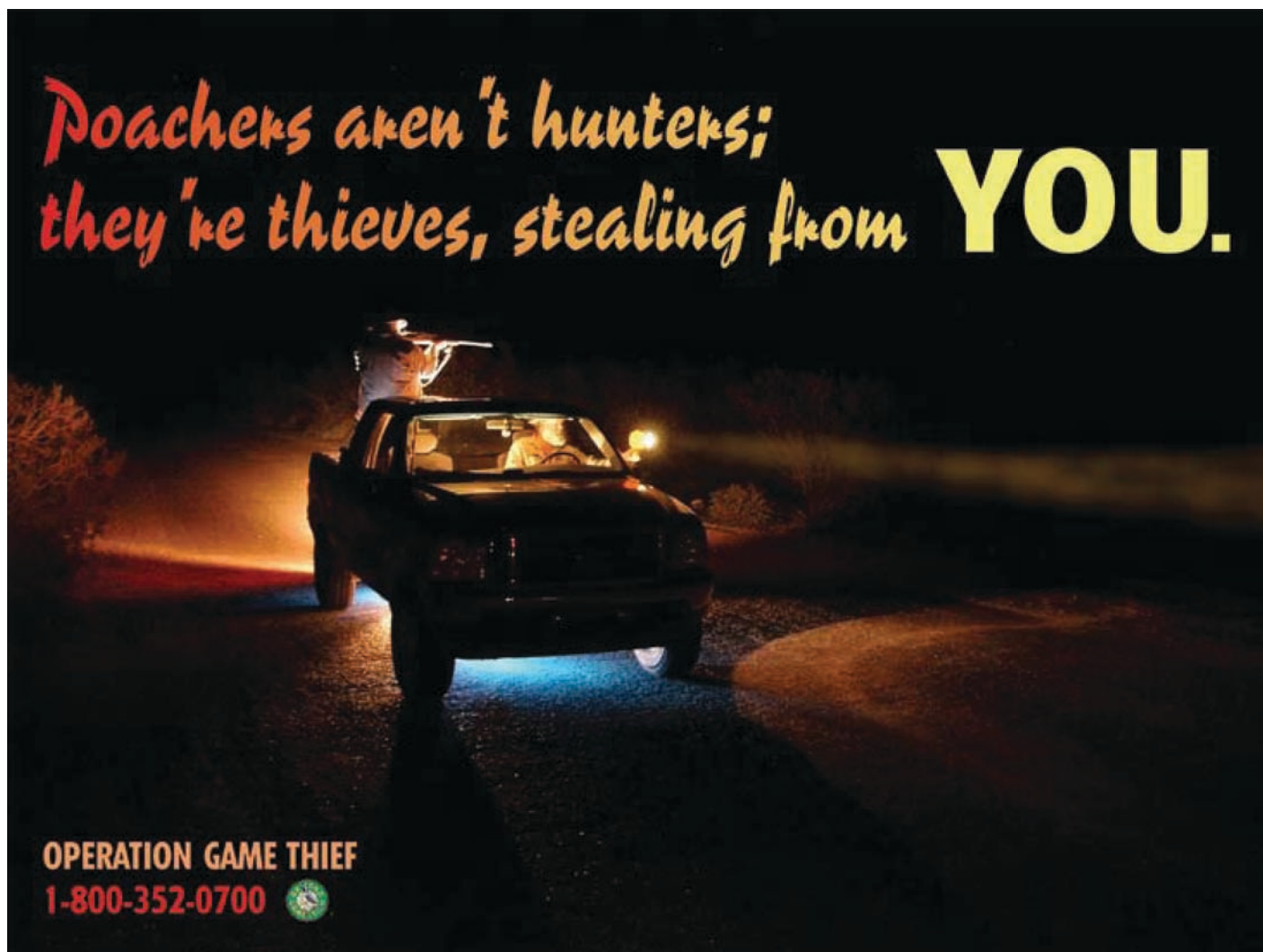
GENERAL BUFFALO

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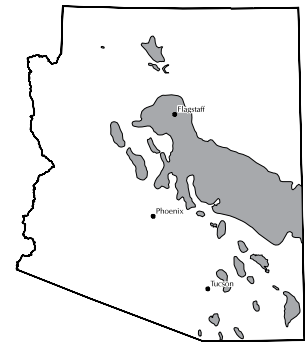
Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
7021	Feb 5 - Feb 7, 2010		5A and 5B (Raymond Wildlife Area Herd)	Yearling buffalo only	2
7022	Feb 19 - Feb 21, 2010		5A and 5B (Raymond Wildlife Area Herd)	Yearling buffalo only	2
7023	Jan 1 - Jun 13, 2010	(2,3)	12A, 12B, and 13A (House Rock Wildlife Area Herd)	Any buffalo	14
Total					19

Buffalo Notes:

1. A hunter with a buffalo hunt permit-tag for the Raymond Wildlife Area herd shall be accompanied by an authorized Department employee who shall designate the animal to be harvested and shall hunt in the order scheduled by the Department in accordance with R12-4-306. Hunters that desire a more challenging hunt should apply for the House Rock Wildlife Area hunts.
2. An unsuccessful hunter, or hunter who did not hunt, with a buffalo hunt permit-tag for the House Rock Wildlife Area herd shall check out in person or by telephone at either the Department's Flagstaff regional office or the House Rock Wildlife Area headquarters within three days following the close of the season. A successful buffalo hunter shall report information about the kill to the Department within five business days after taking the buffalo either in person at the House Rock Wildlife Area headquarters or in person or by telephone at the Department's Flagstaff regional office. If the kill is reported by telephone, the report shall include the name of the hunter, the hunter's tag number, the sex of the buffalo taken, the number of days hunted, and a telephone number where the hunter can be reached for additional information (R12-4-306).
3. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.



Bear Hunts



■ Distribution

For further information on bears, their habitat, range, natural history, or where you can hunt them in Arizona, please visit www.azgfd.gov.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

License Required	Any valid hunting or combination license except a Three-Day Hunting (Class H) (See tables on pages 4-5 for Resident and Non-resident license fees).
Tag Required	Hunt Permit-tag obtained only through application and draw process as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. EXCEPT for General Nonpermit or Archery-Only Nonpermit bear, a bear nonpermit-tag must be obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.
Hunt Numbers Required	When applying for big game hunt permit tags, you must use hunt numbers.
Legal Methods of Take	General Hunt: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304. General Nonpermit-tag Hunt: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304. Archery Hunt: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216. Archery Nonpermit-tag Hunt: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216.
Bag Limit	One (1) bear per calendar year, except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

To hunt spring bear in Arizona, you need a valid hunting or combination license and a bear tag. To hunt bear during a spring General or Archery-Only season, you must apply through the draw for a hunt permit-tag. To hunt bear during a spring General Nonpermit Tag or Archery-Only Nonpermit Tag season, you may purchase a nonpermit-tag from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.

As prescribed in R12-4-308, all hunters must contact an Arizona Game and Fish Department office in person or by telephone at 1-800-970-BEAR (2327) within 48 hours of taking a bear. The report shall include the hunter's name, hunting license number, tag number, sex of the bear taken, management unit where the bear was taken, and telephone number at which the hunter can be reached to obtain additional information. Within 10 days of taking a bear, the hunter shall present the bear's skull, hide, and attached proof of sex to a designated Arizona Game and Fish Department employee for inspection. If a hunter freezes the skull or hide before presenting it for inspection, the hunter shall prop the jaw open to allow access to the teeth and ensure that the attached proof of sex is identifiable and accessible (pursuant to R12-4-308). A premolar tooth will be removed during the inspection. Successful hunters are encouraged to contact the nearest Department office by telephone to coordinate inspections

Bear: Commission Order 9

GENERAL SPRING BEAR

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits	Fem Harv Limit
8000	BONUS POINT ONLY – See page 4 (No other hunt number may be chosen in conjunction with this one).					
8001	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Any bear except sows with cubs	5	1
---	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any bear except sows with cubs	---	1
Total					5	

Bear: Commission Order 9 (continued)

GENERAL NONPERMIT-TAG REQUIRED SPRING BEAR

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Fem Harv Limit
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	22	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,6,7)	23 North	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	24A	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	27	Any bear except sows with cubs	2
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	29 and 30A	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,5,7)	31	Any bear except sows with cubs	2
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,5,7)	32	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	34A	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	35A and 35B (except Fort Huachuca)	Any bear except sows with cubs	2

ARCHERY-ONLY SPRING BEAR

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits	Fem Harv Limit
8002	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	3B and 3C	Any bear except sows with cubs	100	1
8003	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	22	Any bear except sows with cubs	50	1
8004	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,6,7)	23 North	Any bear except sows with cubs	50	1
8005	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	33	Any bear except sows with cubs	10	2
8006	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	34A	Any bear except sows with cubs	20	2
8007	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	35A and 35B (except Fort Huachuca)	Any bear except sows with cubs	40	3
---	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any bear except sows with cubs	---	1
Total					270	

ARCHERY-ONLY NONPERMIT-TAG REQUIRED SPRING BEAR

Open Areas do not include any area closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Fem Harv Limit
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	3B and 3C	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	33	Any bear except sows with cubs	1

Bear Notes:

- No person shall knowingly use any substance as bait at any time to attract or take bear (R12-4-304).
- The use of dogs is prohibited during Bear hunts from January 1 to July 31 (R12-4-318).
- When the number of female bears equaling the female harvest limit for a particular hunt has been reported killed, by either hunters or the Department, the unit(s) will be closed at sundown the Wednesday immediately following. Hunters are responsible for calling 1-800-970-BEAR (2327) before hunting to determine if their desired hunt unit is still open. The female harvest limit is combined for Unit 35A/35B and Fort Huachuca hunts, and both hunts will close when the female harvest limit is reached for Unit 35A/35B.
- The Fort Huachuca Military Reservation in Unit 35A is open to bear hunting only to properly licensed Fort Huachuca military and civilian personnel holding a valid Fort Huachuca post hunting permit. Hunt numbers, season dates and/or special regulations must be obtained from Fort Huachuca. Increases in Force Protection may result in hunt cancellations at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled due to an increase in security, hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Fort Huachuca contact information: Commander, U.S. Army Garrison, ATTN: IMWE-HUA-PWB (Hunting), Fort Huachuca, AZ 85613-7010, www.huachuca.army.mil/usag/dpw/hunting.html, (520) 533-2549 or dis-enrd@conus.army.mil.
- Unit 31 and 32 hunts – Access to Aravaipa Canyon Wildlife Area (as prescribed in R12-4-802) is allowed by permit only, available through the Safford Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management. For more information, contact the Safford Field Office at (928) 348-4400 or www.blm.gov/az/sfo/aravaipa/aravaipa.htm.
- 23 North Hunt Unit – That portion of Unit 23 located north of the following: Beginning at the junction of Tonto Creek and Spring Creek; east along Spring Creek to FR 134; east on FR 134 to FR 129; east on FR 129 to AZ Hwy 288; east on AZ Hwy 288 to FR 54; east on FR 54 to FR 202; south on FR 202 to FR 127; east on FR 127 to FR 127A; east on FR 127A to the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation boundary.
- Annual Female Harvest Limit – If the Annual Female Harvest Limit for a given unit is met during a calendar year, that unit or portion thereof will close to bear hunting for the current and future bear seasons during that calendar year. The Annual Female Harvest Limit is comprised of any female bear killed by a hunter or the Department. Refer to the table below for the Annual Female Harvest Limit by unit.

ANNUAL FEMALE HARVEST LIMIT

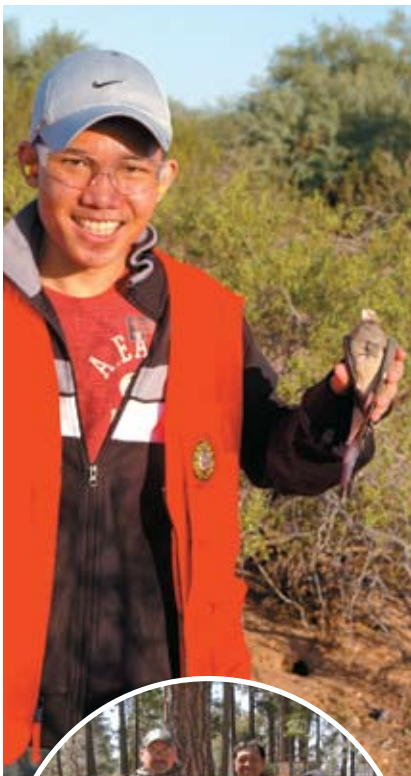
Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit
3B	10	22N	10	24A	8	29/30A	10	33	4
3C	4	22S	4	27	25	31	9	34A	7
6B	4	23N	15	28	5	32	6	35A/35B (FTHU)	7

Sign up for a Mentored Hunting or Juniors-only Event



The Arizona Game and Fish Department supports and promotes introducing children to the American tradition of hunting. It is important that the next generation learns how hunting plays a significant role in the conservation and management of wildlife. The Department offers a wide variety of juniors-only hunting and shooting programs. These programs are designed to get children in the field with a parent, guardian, or mentor who can focus completely on the child, and provide the guidance needed to teach the next generation of hunters and stewards how to be responsible and ethical conservationists.

New to Hunting?



The Department also understands the need to offer opportunities for first-time hunters. In a collaborative effort with sportsmen's groups, gun clubs and conservation organizations to offer first-time hunters a mentored experience to learn about hunting, here is a list of upcoming events.

Sept. 12 — TBD East Valley New Hunters Dove Hunt

- New hunters only dove hunt, east Valley location to be determined
- For more information, visit www.azgfd.gov/hunting

Oct. 2-3 — Squirrel camp

- Arizona Game and Fish Department Region I (Pinetop) at Los Burros camp
- For more information, visit www.azgfd.gov/hunting

Nov. 7-8 — Quail and Rabbit

- Arizona Game and Fish Department Region 3 (Kingman) east of Alamo Lake at Alamo Lake Road and Chicken Springs
- For more information, visit www.azgfd.gov/hunting

Sign-up Today!

Dec. 5 — Junior Dove Hunt

- Arizona Game and Fish Department Region IV (Yuma) at Quigley Wildlife Area

FREE EVENT

- Open to licensed junior hunters 17 years and younger accompanied by a licensed adult hunter
- Limited to the first 20 juniors
- Register with Debbie Hovatter (928) 210-7304 or getoutsideaz@gmail.com.

Dec. 11-13 — Junior Waterfowl Camp

- Arizona Game and Fish Department Region IV (Yuma) at Cibola National Wildlife Refuge
- Open to licensed junior hunters 17 years and younger accompanied by a licensed adult hunter
- Limited to the first 54 juniors
- There is a refundable \$40 registration fee
- Register with Debbie Hovatter (928) 210-7304 or getoutsideaz@gmail.com.

Jan. 22-24 — Junior Jack Kamp

- Arizona Game and Fish Department Region V (Tucson) in the Altar Valley
- For more information, visit www.azgfd.gov/hunting

The Department offers "Juniors-Only" designated hunts. Persons are eligible to participate up to and throughout the calendar year of their 17th birthday, provided that persons between the ages of 10 and 13 have satisfactorily completed a Hunter Education Course that is approved by the director. To hunt turkey during Limited Weapon—Shotgun Shooting Shot Juniors-Only season, youth may purchase a nonpermit-tag from a Department office or license dealer. For season dates, please turn to page 12 of this booklet.

Juniors-Only Turkey Cams

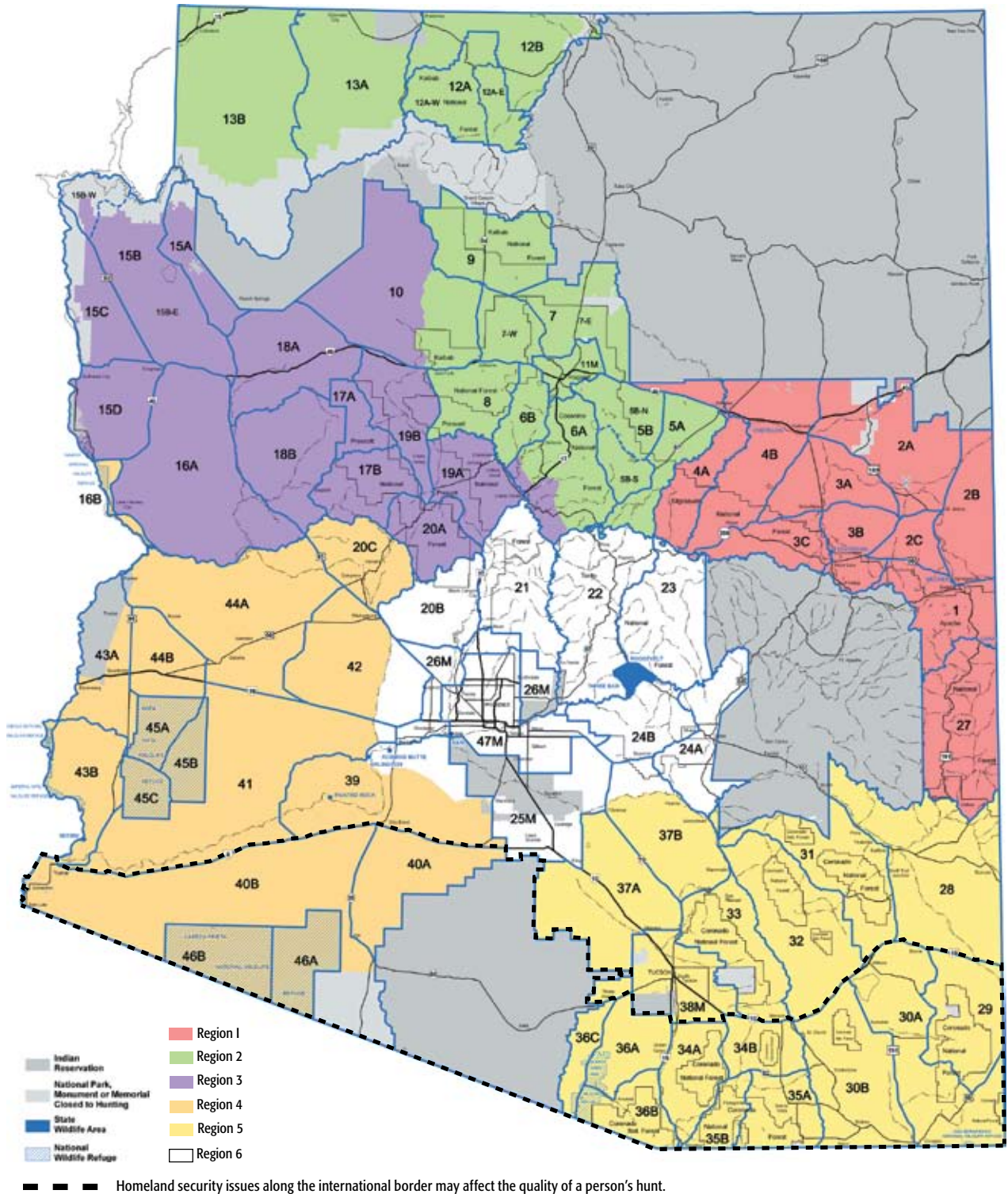
April 16-18

Camps will be held in Units 1/27, 23/3C and 6A

For more information, visit www.azgfd.gov/hunting

The recruitment and retention of hunters, anglers, trappers, and shooters is important to continue the successful management of Arizona's wildlife — game and nongame. The management and conservation of game animals is funded by dollars generated by the sale of licenses, hunt tags and funds appropriated from federal excise taxes hunters pay on firearms and ammunition — not through the state's general fund. However, all citizens of Arizona benefit by this management allowing them to enjoy roaming elk herds in a meadow, antelope on the range or a gobbling wild turkey when driving on a country back road.

Game Management Unit Map



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REGION 2

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REGION 3

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(928) 692-7700

REGION 4

9140 E. 28th Street, Yuma 85365
(928) 342-0091

REGION 5

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- **Endangered Species Updates:** News on issues pertaining to conservation of at-risk wildlife.
- **Working for Wildlife:** Updates to keep the public informed on efforts to secure funding to meet future wildlife conservation needs.
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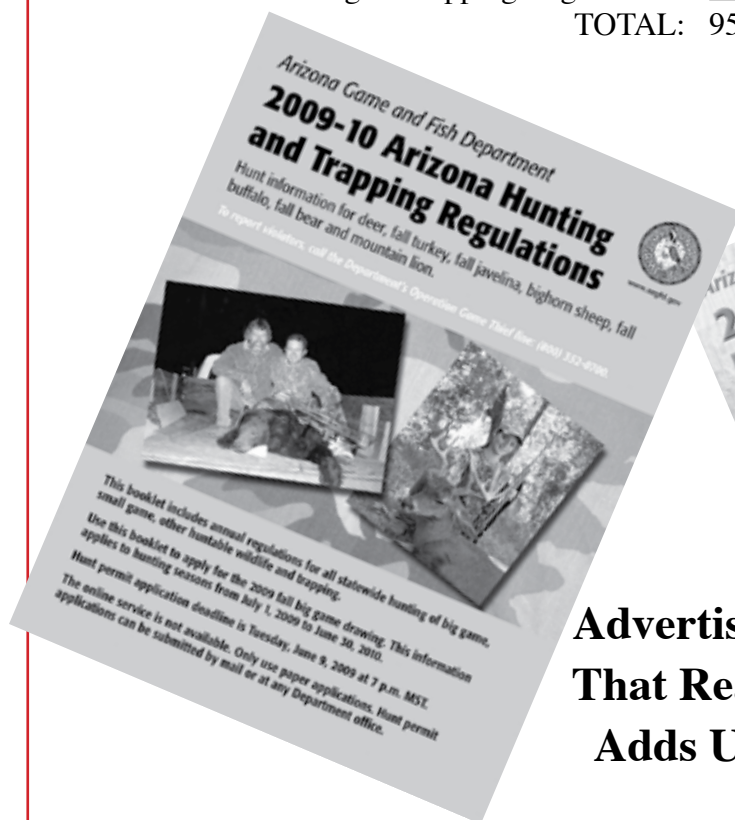
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